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Mr. Frederick H. Armstrong
Gallagher for U.S. Senate
1500 San Remo Avenue
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RE: MUR 5502
Martinez for Senate and Charles W. Puckett,
in his official capacity as treasurer
Bush-Cheney '04, Inc., and Salvatore
Purpura, in his official capacity as treasurer

Dear Mr. Armstrong:

This is in reference to the complaint you filed with the Federal Election Commission on August 28, 2004, concerning Martinez for Senate and Charles W. Puckett, in his official capacity as treasurer, and Bush-Cheney '04, Inc., and Salvatore Purpura, in his official capacity as treasurer. Based on your complaint, on April 19, 2005, the Commission found that there was reason to believe the Martinez Committee violated 2 U.S.C. § 441a(a)(1)(A), a provision of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. Accordingly, the Commission instituted an investigation of this matter. However, after considering the circumstances of this matter, the Commission determined to take no further action and closed the file in this matter on August 28, 2006.

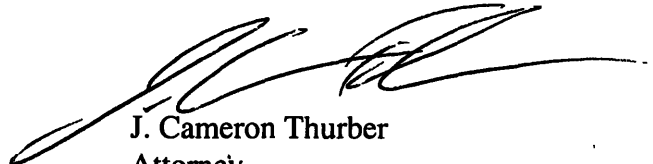
Documents related to the case will be placed on the public record within 30 days. *See* Statement of Policy Regarding Disclosure of Closed Enforcement and Related Files, 68 Fed. Reg. 70,426 (Dec. 18, 2003). A copy of the dispositive General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your information.

The Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, allows a complainant to seek judicial review of the Commission's dismissal of this action. *See* 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(8). If you

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have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,



J. Cameron Thurber
Attorney

Enclosure
General Counsel's Report

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